ADOPTION OF ALTERNATIVE PAYMENT METHODS IN MASSACHUSETTS

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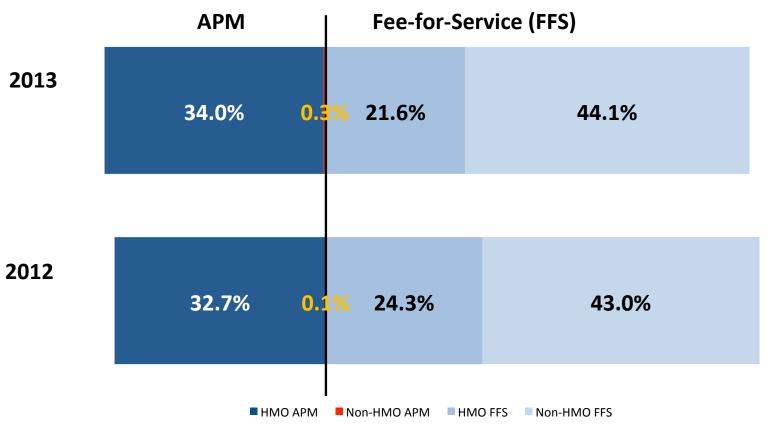
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Adoption of alternative payment methods (APMs) in the commercial market remained stable between 2012 and 2013

Figure 1. Adoption of APMs in the Commercial Market, 2012-2013



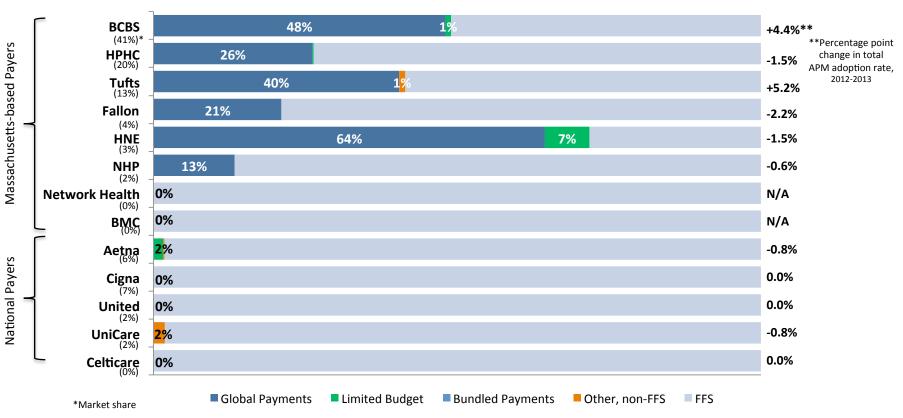
Source: Payer-reported APM data to CHIA, CYs 2012 and 2013

APM data published in CHIA's 2014 Annual Report showed a slight decrease in the APM adoption rate in the commercial market from 2012 to 2013, from 35.2% in 2012 to 34.3% in 2013. The numbers presented in this chart book reflect data updated by certain payers since the publication of the Annual Report in September 2014.



Health New England (HNE) had the highest APM adoption rate in the commercial market

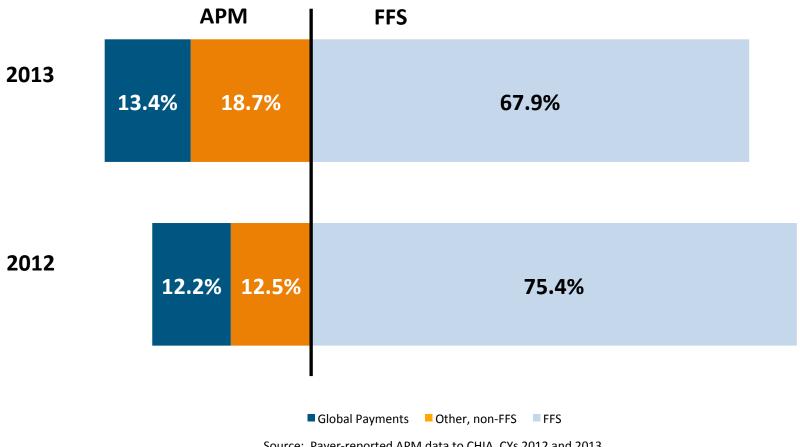
Figure 2. Adoption of APMs by Commercial Payer, 2013





Adoption of APMs in the MassHealth MCO market grew by about seven percentage points in 2013

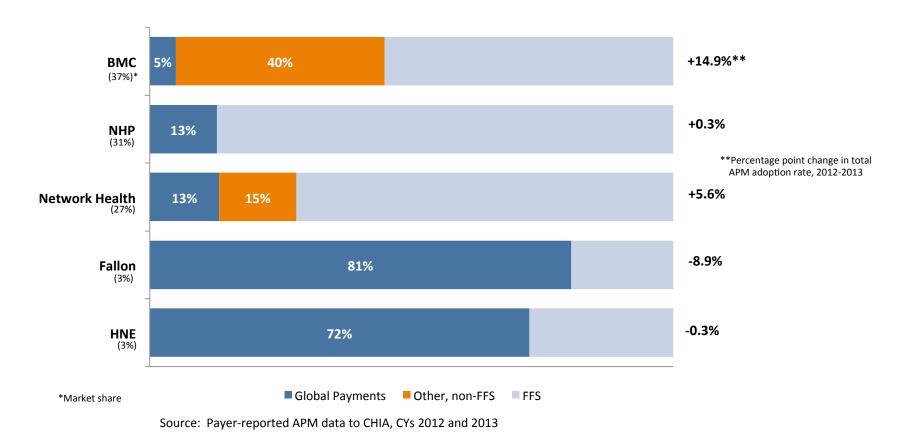
Figure 3. Adoption of APMs in the MassHealth MCO Market, 2012-2013





All MassHealth MCO plans have adopted some type of APMs

Figure 4. Adoption of APMs by MassHealth MCOs, 2013

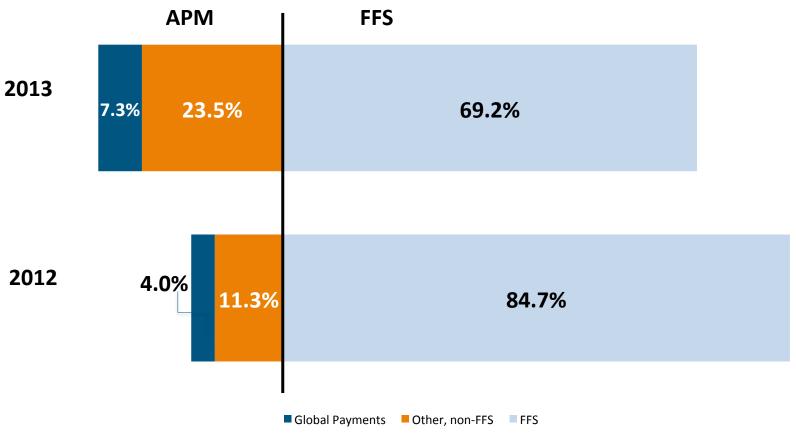


Notes: APM adoption rates shown by payer-reported member months for MassHealth MCO members. Members attributed to the "Other, non-FFS" payment method were generally Patient-Centered Medical Home-affiliated members. MassHealth MCO payers did not report any use of Limited Budgets or Bundled Payments in 2012 or 2013. MassHealth PCC members are not included here. Payers are listed in order of 2013 MassHealth MCO market share. Market share is defined according to share of total statewide MassHealth MCO member months. Proportions may not sum to 100% due to rounding.



Adoption of APMs in the Commonwealth Care market grew by about 16 percentage points in 2013

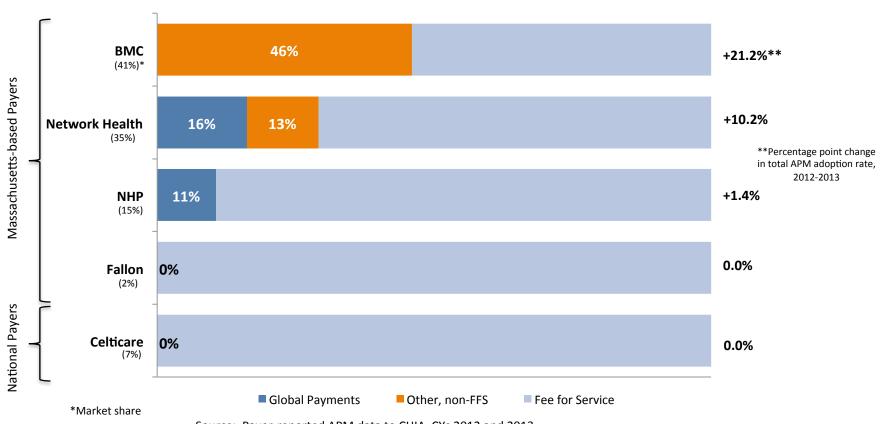
Figure 5. Adoption of APMs in the Commonwealth Care Market, 2012-2013





Only three of the five Commonwealth Care MCOs have adopted APMs

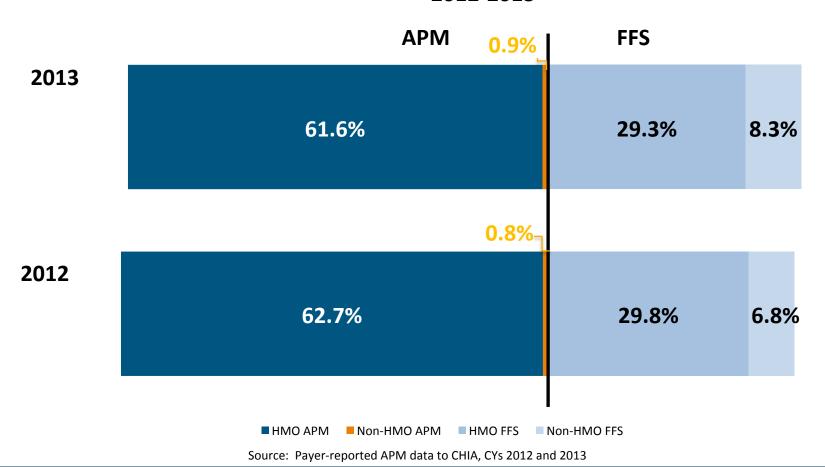
Figure 6. Adoption of APMs by Commonwealth Care MCOs, 2013





Adoption of APMs in the Medicare Advantage market remained stable from 2012 to 2013

Figure 7. Adoption of APMs in the Medicare Advantage Market, 2012-2013

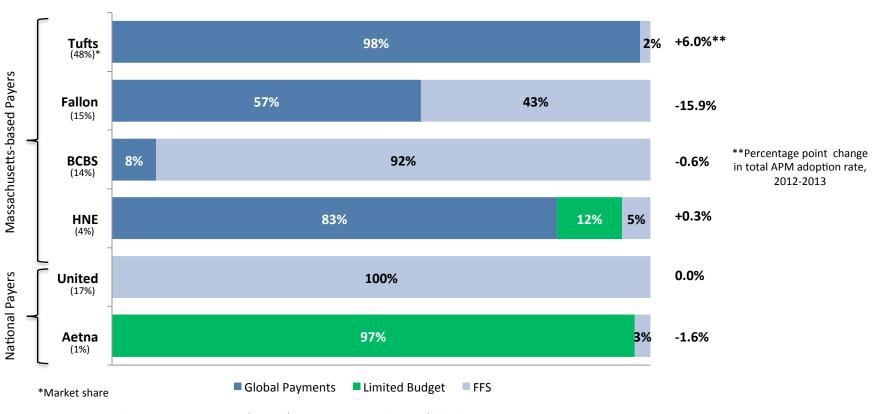


Notes: APM adoption rates shown by payer-reported member months for Medicare Advantage members. Medicare Advantage payers did not report any use of Bundled Payments or "Other, non-FFS" payment methods in 2012 or 2013. Proportions may not sum to 100% due to rounding.



Most payers have adopted APMs in the Medicare Advantage market

Figure 8. Adoption of APMs among Medicare Advantage Plans, 2013



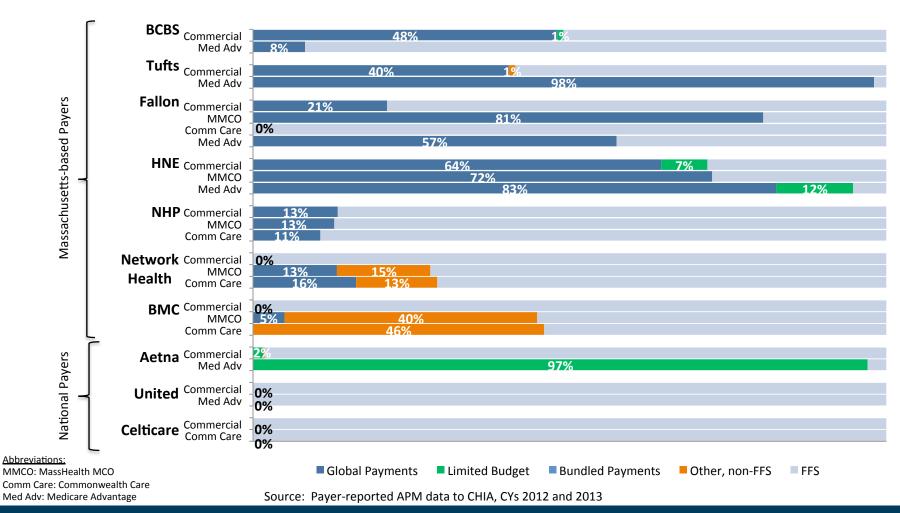
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Notes: APM adoption rates shown by payer-reported member months for Medicare Advantage members. Medicare Advantage payers did not report any use of Bundled Payments or "Other, non-FFS" payment methods in 2012 or 2013. Payers are grouped as either Massachusetts-based or national. Within each category, payers are listed in order of decreasing Medicare Advantage market share. Market share is defined according to share of total statewide Medicare Advantage member months. Proportions may not sum to 100% due to rounding.



The adoption of APMs varied across insurance categories offered by the same payer

Figure 9. Adoption of APMs across Insurance Categories by Payer, 2013



Notes: APM adoption rates shown by payer-reported member months. Only payers offering products in more than one insurance category are included here. Payers are grouped as either Massachusetts-based or national. Within each category, payers are listed in order of decreasing commercial market share. Market share is defined according to share of total statewide commercial member months. Proportions may not sum to 100% due to rounding.

